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From: Sarah Palin [gov.sarah@yahoo.com]

Sent: Monday, March 05, 2007 9:10 AM

To: Spencer; Kari L (GOV); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); fek9wnr@yahoo.com; Fagerstrom; Erika (GOV)

Subject: travel

Kari - after getting weathered in here this weekend and missing the Iditarod, I really want to make sure I'm giving myself plenty of time to get out for scheduled events outside of Juneau.

I haven't seen Thursday's schedule, but I need reservations to be out of here -probably Wednesday? - to make sure I'm not going to miss Friday's gala and all of the Anchorage and Fairbanks events this weekend. thanks!

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From: Patrick Galvin [patrick_galvin@revenue.state.ak.us]
Sent: Monday, March 05, 2007 6:59 AM
To: Sarah Palin; Irwin; Tom E (DNR); Rutherford; Marty K (DNR); Stapleton; Meghan N (GOV)
Subject: FW: AGIA launching

FYI.

-Pat

From: Malcolm Roberts [mailto:mal@gci.net]
Sent: Monday, March 05, 2007 6:02 AM
To: patrick_galvin@revenue.state.ak.us
Subject: AGIA launching

Commissioner:

Thank you for inviting us to the roll out of AGIA on Friday. I was glad that David Gottstein made it. My plane was diverted to Yakutat, but I heard the press conference via the internet and watched the Gavel to Gavel re-play last evening.

Please pass on my congratulations to Governor Palin and your team. The presentation was clear and strong, and Backbone II commends all of you on the package you have assembled. We will meet today and review the details of the legislation. We plan to attend the Town Hall meetings this evening, and you can count on our support for legislative passage this session.

Malcolm Roberts - 343-2457

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From: Sarah Palin [gov.sarah@yahoo.com]
Sent: Monday, March 05, 2007 4:43 PM
To: Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Notti; Emil R (CED)
Subject: RE: statehood commission

Kris Perry to the rescue! Thanks Kris - great solutions here.

Kris Perry <kris_perry@gov.state.ak.us> wrote:

> That is what she proposed. She's never been on payroll. Currently her only role is as the Governor's designee as Chairperson of the Commission. I came up with a solution that will work w/the Statehood Commission and hopefully minimize any hard feelings. Since this office will be managing the project, I will become the Governor's designee, thereby replacing the Chairperson on the commission. This should minimize anyone feeling like they've been replaced by a "peer" in the community. I spoke to Linda Perez and she gave the "all clear". I think it's a positive solution and it makes sense.
>
> Current staff is Patty Swenson with Commerce and she supports both the Coin Commission and the Statehood Commission. However, there are changes planned. To maximize efficiencies, staff support will occur with existing staff out of the Governor's office. I'm working with Emil on this.
>
> Ivy and Meg are both aware. We'll get this finalized early this week.
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> **From:** Sarah Palin [mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com]
> **Sent:** Monday, March 05, 2007 11:09 AM
> **To:** Kristina Y Perry; mike_tibbles@gov.state.ak.us; emil_notti@commerce.state.ak.us
> **Subject:** statehood commission
>
> Kris - the memo from Gail Phillips says she's paid $100g/yr as ex. dir. of Celebration Commission... and a raise of $10g next yr... and another raise of $10g the yr. after.
>
> ???
>
> Is this accurate? It sounds absolutely ridiculous that the state is/was paying a full time employee for this, along with budgeting for a PR firm to organize the event?
>
> Is she off payroll yet?
>
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From: Patrick Galvin [patrick_galvin@revenue.state.ak.us]

Sent: Monday, March 05, 2007 4:26 PM

To: Spencer; Kari L (GOV)

Cc: Sarah Palin; Irwin; Tom E (DNR); Rutherford; Marty K (DNR); Balash; Joseph R (GOV)

Subject: Energy Counsel

Kari,

Can you please contact Lori Cameron, Executive Director of The Energy Counsel, and let her know that I will be representing the Administration in the presentation of AGIA on Saturday, March 10? Lori's contact number is (972) 243-7788. Joe and I will be there together.

Thank you.

-Pat

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From: Sarah Palin [gov.sarah@yahoo.com]

Sent: Monday, March 05, 2007 4:07 PM

To: Meghan N Stapleton

Cc: Balash; Joseph R (GOV); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV)

Subject: Re: FW: Sunday editorial

right on... glad he acknowledged his mistake. pls tell him i appreciate his acknowledgment

Meghan Stapleton <meghan_stapleton@gov.state.ak.us> wrote:

> FYI.
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> Meghan N. Stapleton
> Communications Director
> Office of Governor Sarah Palin
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> 907.269.7463 f
> 907.321.4975 c
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> **From:** Persily, Larry [mailto:LPersily@adn.com]
> **Sent:** Monday, March 05, 2007 1:13 PM
> **To:** meghan_stapleton@gov.state.ak.us; patrick_galvin@revenue.state.ak.us
> **Subject:** Sunday editorial
>
> In re-reading Sunday's AGIA editorial, I see where it does say in one spot "... even the governor admits the tax rate is too high. ..." That should have said, "... even the administration admits the tax rate is too high. ..." It was based on my interview with Patrick on Thursday, and the error (attributing it to the governor instead of the administration) came from writing the editorial while sitting in the Juneau airport for two days last week and phoning in my corrections. We changed the first reference two paragraphs earlier to "administration" but missed the second reference (the copy editor on the other side of the phone misunderstood my dictation of changes to the editorial).
> Sorry for the misstated atribution.
> Larry

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From: Sarah Palin [govpalin@yahoo.com]
Sent: Monday, March 05, 2007 12:28 PM
To: Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Notti; Emil R (CED)
Cc: Stapleton; Meghan N (GOV); Leighow; Sharon W (GOV)
Subject: Fwd: GPCC E-News March 7th Annual Meeting

kris- would you ask bill for a copy of his speech - once he writes it. thanks!

GPCC News <info@palmerchamber.org> wrote:

> Date: Mon, 5 Mar 2007 13:22:41 -0800
> From: "GPCC News" <info@palmerchamber.org>
> To: spalin@mtaonline.net
> Subject: GPCC E-News March 7th Annual Meeting
>
> PLEASE NOTE: GPCC announcements are sent in plain text format. For the weekly E-News you may view a formatted version by clicking on the attached .PDF file. You must have Adobe Reader installed, which you can download for free from: http://www.adobe.com/reader
>
> ANNUAL MEETING WILL BEGIN PROMPTLY AT 12:00pm
>
> The Greater Palmer Chamber of Commerce
> March 7th, 2007
>
> 36th Annual Membership Meeting
> Vote in the election of three Board of Directors
> Presentation of our annual Pioneer Award
>
> Welcome Keynote Speaker: Bill Allen, Director – Office of Economic Development for the State of Alaska
>
> Presentation of Colors and National Anthem presented by Colony JR. ROTC
>
> Welcome and Announcements
>
> Dusty Silva, Silva Insurance Services
>
> Volunteers
>
> Greeter: Shawn Strash, Mat-Su Regional Medical Center
> 50/50 Raffle: Jaccie Gaines, MVFCU
>
> 50/50 Raffle
> $0 – 12 Marbles Remaining
> Congratulations to Jamie Condio who won $363 last week!
>
> Menu

Lunch will be served by Alaska Garden Gate Bed & Breakfast

Baked cod in garlic lemon crumbs
Proscuitto wrapped chicken with emmenthaler cheese sauce
Parmesan and leek couscous
Asparagus with hollandaise sauce and warm baguettes with butter
Fresh green beans and grape tomatoes in hazelnut oil
Bibb lettuce with pecans and gorgonzola crumbles
Strawberry kumquat sherry trifle with custard

Member Lunch: $20 Non-Member Lunch: $25
Member Meeting: $3 Non-Member Meeting: $5
Lunch Punch Cards cannot be used for this Luncheon. GPCC can accept cash, VISA or MC

GPCC Meetings are held:

Wednesdays from 12:00 – 1:00 pm at the Palmer Moose Lodge

March 14th, 2007: Dusty Silva of Silva Insurance Services and Tim Breeden of FNBA will inform you of everything you've wanted to know about Health Savings Accounts and Qualified High Deductible Health Plans, including recent legislative changes making these plans more attractive.

Spotlight on Business: Helen Munoz of A-Lazy Acres B&B

Member Announcements

Dear Chamber members,
Attached is the annual Volunteer Awards recognition form for those outstanding Mat-Su volunteers in our community. Please take time to fill out a form and submit it to me or the Anchorage office for submission. We have a strong group of volunteers in the valley who deserve to be recognized! Thanks, Colleen Sullivan-Leonard, Mat-Su Office of the Governor, 877 Commercial Dr., Wasilla, AK., 99654, office # 352-2585

http://www.gov.state.ak.us/pdf/GovNomination%20Form2doc-1.pdf
Nominations due by March 23rd, 2007 5pm
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Alaska Avalanche Jr "A" Hockey
Wasilla Multi-Use Sports Complex
1001 S. Mack Drive
Wasilla, AK 99654
907-357-8257 phone 907-357-8218 fax

SILENT AUCTION
March 9th and March 10th
During the games
vs.
Alexandria Blizzard

Lots of Items to Bid On Each Night

Signed Alaska Avalanche Jersey
Day Spa Package
ECHL Merchandise Package
Seattle Seahawks Merchandise
Ak Wilderness Lodge Weekend Trip
1000 sf. Landscaping package
Hour Ice Rental @ Wasilla Sports Complex
Hour Ice Rental @ Subway Center
Quilted Wall Hanging
Alaska Aces Ticket Package
& lots of other items to choose from........

GAME SCHEDULE: March 8, 9 & 10, all games 7:30pm

All Proceeds to Support Alaska Avalanche Jr A Hockey Team
Call the Avalanche Office for More Information
907-357-8257ph 907-357-8218 fax
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The Mat-Su Small Business Development Center will offer a workshop entitled "Starting Your Own Small Business" on Thursday, March 15, 2007 from 9:00 a.m. – Noon at the SBDC office in Wasilla. There is a $25 fee for the seminar and pre-registration is required. Call the SBDC office at 373-7232 for further information or registration.

This workshop will cover basic issues faced when starting a new small business such as business planning, marketing, record-keeping, legal forms of business, and raising capital.

To include your member announcement, subject to a first come first served basis, email the chamber before Friday 5 pm each week.

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From: Sarah Palin [govpalin@yahoo.com]

Sent: Monday, March 05, 2007 12:22 PM

To: Balash; Joseph R (GOV)

Cc: Irwin; Tom E (DNR); Rutherford; Martha K (DNR); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Stapleton; Meghan N (GOV); Anders; Bruce F (DNR)

Subject: Re: larry persily

thanks!

Joseph R Balash <joe_balash@gov.state.ak.us> wrote:

> The short, sweet answer on PPT is that you are not convinced 22.5% is too high for gas. Members of your administration have said that it may be--according to work that has been done to date. That's because there is very little up-front investment necessary at Prudhoe Bay to develop gas. Where the gas field infrastructure needs to be developed (and can be deducted and credited), PPT may very well be OK.
>
> On the second question: if the producers don't show up, we continue on the path towards certification. We don't absolutely need to have their gas commitments at the open season. Would the project be better off and more certain to be sanctioned? Yes. But gas can be committed to the project after the open season.
>
> The $500 million isn't exactly a "gift". The partner(s) will have to match us. But, more importantly, we will be getting partners on terms that are worth billions to the State in the future. In a sense, we are spending $500 million now to get $Billions later. Your Gas Team will be able to demonstrate these benefits quantitatively in its presentations to committees.
>
> Joe
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> ----- Original Message -----
> From: Sarah Palin
> Date: Monday, March 5, 2007 10:14 am
> Subject: larry persily
> To: Tom Irwin , Joe Balash
> , Marty Rutherford
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> Cc: mike_tibbles@gov.state.ak.us, Meghan N Stapleton
> , bruce_anders@dnr.state.ak.us
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> > Larry Persily writes that I believe PPT rate is too high, and that
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> Does anyone know where he'd have received that information? I've
> never gone there. Larry needs to be corrected, asap.
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> commit to gas during first open season? ("Throw a party and no one
> shows up?") (Especially if we don't have any intention of having
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> economic, and producers don't need nor want the $500 million -
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> From: "Sarah Palin"
> To: "Joe Balash" ; "Michael Tibbles" ; "John Bitney" ; "Kari
> Spencer" ; "Marty Rutherford" ; tom_irwin@dnr.state.ak.us
> Sent: 3/3/07 9:49 PM
> Subject: Re: Fwd: RE: Yukon First Nation seeks own Alaska pipeline
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> Rutherford; Tom Irwin
> Sent: Sat Mar 03 12:58:23 2007
> Subject: Fwd: RE: Yukon First Nation seeks own Alaska pipeline deal
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> ---------------------------------
> Looking for earth-friendly autos?
> Browse Top Cars by "Green Rating" at Yahoo! Autos' Green Center.

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From: Meghan Stapleton [meghan_stapleton@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Monday, March 05, 2007 11:18 AM
To: 'Sarah Palin'
Cc: Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Leighow; Sharon W (GOV)
Subject: RE: Bill Yardley with the New York Times questions

I've emailed Katz. We're on a conference call at this point, but should have an answer later.

Meghan N. Stapleton
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From: Sarah Palin [mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com]
Sent: Monday, March 05, 2007 11:13 AM
To: Meghan Stapleton
Cc: 'Michael Tibbles'; 'Sharon Leighow'; 'Meghan Stapleton'
Subject: Re: Bill Yardley with the New York Times questions

let's ask Katz where these projects are re: future Fed. funding potential.
pls email him and ask

Meghan Stapleton <meghan_stapleton@gov.state.ak.us> wrote:

> We can answer these after the Carrigan show, but Bill Yardley has some questions for you about the Knik and Gravina bridges. Doing a short story follow after Murkowski re: the bridges to nowhere.
>
> Do you regard either as priorites?
>
> Do you support these two?
>
> If you don't, what happens to the bridges? If you do, how do you go to bat for the money?
>
> I did tell him that your capital budget was stripped to that which is supported by matching federal dollars. However, what was left is closer to $100m and certainly wouldn't cover the bridges. I mentioned that you want to build the capital budget with the Legislature. He would like specifics.
>
> I would be happy to call him back – or you can. With the NYT, it always looks good to have more mentions of your name. Just in case, his number is 206-420-1217.
>
> Thanks,
> Meg
>
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Sent: Monday, March 05, 2007 10:21 AM
To: 'Sarah Palin'; Irwin; Tom E (DNR); Balash; Joseph R (GOV); Rutherford; Marty K (DNR)
Cc: Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Anders; Bruce F (DNR)
Subject: RE: larry persily

The Governor needs the answers before the 11am editorial board meeting, in case she has time to call in.

Thanks,
Meg

Meghan N. Stapleton
Communications Director
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From: Kari Spencer [kari_spencer@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Monday, March 05, 2007 8:31 AM
To: Sarah Palin; Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); Nizich; Michael A (GOV); Spencer; Kari L (GOV); Stapleton; Meghan N (GOV); Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); Privileged or Personal Ma
Subject: RE: prayer brkfst

They want you to briefly speak, Meg and Kris are working on that. Previously we discussed either Kris or Bristol accompanying you but if you would like a table for your family we can check on that. Affirmative to Franklin Grahm speaking.

-----Original Message-----

From: "Sarah Palin" <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

To: "Kristina Y Perry" <kris_perry@gov.state.ak.us>; "mike_nizich@gov.state.ak.us" <mike_nizich@gov.state.ak.us>; "kari_spencer@gov.state.ak.us" <kari_spencer@gov.state.ak.us>; "meghan_stapleton@gov.state.ak.us" <meghan_stapleton@gov.state.ak.us>; "sharon_leighow@gov.state.ak.us" <sharon_leighow@gov.state.ak.us>; Privileged or Personal Material Redacted

Sent: 3/5/07 6:11 AM

Subject: prayer brkfst

does anyone know if I'm supposed to speak at the Gov's Prayer Brkfst on Sat. in Anchorage? If anyone has an itinerary for that morning, pls. let me know. I believe I heard Franklin Graham is a speaker, but have not heard anything else.

Should I get a table for my family at that event?

Unknown

From: Mike Tibbles [mike_tibbles@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Monday, March 05, 2007 7:29 AM
To: Sarah Palin
Subject: RE: weather

We have already called the radio stations. KTOO repoted at 6:30 am that they were waiting to hear from the State, so I had Nizich call again. We should have pretty good coverage by now.

Mike

-----Original Message-----

From: "Sarah Palin" <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

To: mike_tibbles@gov.state.ak.us

Sent: 3/5/07 6:34 AM

Subject: RE: weather

Ill be in. In fact I'm headed out to airport to pick up bristol from bball road trip - they're a day late returning.

Should I make annoncement - or annette?

Sarah Palin

-----Original Message-----

From: "Mike Tibbles"<mike_tibbles@gov.state.ak.us>

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Sent: 3/5/07 4:51 AM

Subject: weather

Governor,

Due to the weather and current road conditions, the police are requesting that the public stay off the roads and especially not come into the downtown area until conditions improve. The federal government and city government offices will be closed today. We are releasing a statement that all non-essential employees should stay home. Annette will go on the radio and make the same annoucement.

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Mike

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Sent: Monday, March 05, 2007 4:26 PM
To: Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); Stapleton; Meghan N (GOV)
Cc: govpalin@gov.state.ak.us; Tibbles; Michael A (GOV)
Subject: FW: Scanned from IM6530Exec [E-Mail_Recipients]

Sharon and Meg,

Governor Palin will appoint Marvin Hamilton as Bethel Superior Court Judge and Anna Moran as Kenai Superior Court Judge. I've attached their bios from their packets. If you need more information don't hesitate to contact me.

Thanks,

Ivy

-----Original Message-----
From: Your Name [mailto:your_email@here.com]
Sent: Monday, March 05, 2007 4:13 PM
To: ivy_frye@gov.state.ak.us
Subject: Scanned from IM6530Exec [E-Mail_Recipients]

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Resolution:200

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From: Kari Spencer [kari_spencer@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Monday, March 05, 2007 3:37 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored); Leighow; Sharon W (GOV)
Cc: Cayce; Sunny C (GOV); Busch; Sharon K (GOV)
Subject: RE: Other

Dear Elissa: Did you intend to send this request to the MAINE governor? Governor Sarah Palin is the ALASKA Governor. In any event, I am going to ask our press office staff to try and answer these questions as I believe the Governor has already answered similar questions in the past.

Kari Spencer

Alaska Governor's Scheduler

907-465-3986 phone; 907-465-3889 fax

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]

Sent: Thursday, February 22, 2007 7:27 PM

To: governor@gov.state.ak.us

Subject: Other

Web mail from: Ms. Elissa Newton

address: Earlham College #1371 Richmond IN 47374

MESSAGE:

Greetings Governor,

Greetings Governor Palin,

Please allow me to introduce myself. My name is Elissa Newton and I'm a senior undergraduate student at
Earlham College in Richmond, Indiana. I realize that I'm not a Maine resident however I was hoping that
you would be able to help me by taking a few minutes from your day. I'm a

Politics major completing my
senior thesis on women in elected offices and why the percentage is not
proportional to the American
population. I've developed a few survey questions that I'm sending to
elected women as I can. However,
I'm running into difficulties considering House of Representative members
are not permitted to respond to
letters not from their constituents. Your personalized responses would
greatly enhance the quality of my
research and understanding of this subject which I have a great deal of
interest in. If you could
respond by Friday March 23, I would greatly appreciate it. Thank you for
taking time out of your busy
schedule.

Sincerely,

Elissa Newton

Interview Questionnaire

1. From the moment you wake up to the moment you go to sleep at night, what
does your typical daily
schedule look like? (e.g.: 6am wake up, 7:30am leave for work, etc)

2. Did you/ do you feel support from your spouse and friends in your
decision to become a
Congresswoman? How did they encourage or discourage you?

3. Y/N Do you consider yourself a Feminist, in whatever interpretation
you have of that term?

4. Do you think the lives of the general public, for which you
represent, would be improved if there
were more women in elected politics? Why or why not?

5. What changes do you feel need to occur to enable more women to get into elected politics? (e.g.:
better education, campaign financing, American attitude)

6. In what way, if any, does your gender help or hinder you in your career?

7. Do you see women as at a disadvantage? Who do you see as the most disadvantaged? (e.g.: women,
racial minorities, homosexuals)

8. On a scale of 1-10 (10 being the highest), how important is this issue to you?

9. Would you like your name to be kept confidential?

10. Any additional comments?

Thank you again!

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From: Kris Perry [kris_perry@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Monday, March 05, 2007 8:36 AM
To: Spencer; Kari L (GOV); 'Sarah Palin'; Nizich; Michael A (GOV); 'meghan_stapleton@gov.state.ak.us'; Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); Privileged or Personal M
Subject: RE: prayer brkfst

I'm awaiting the program and will provide further details once rec'd. It sounds like the event is oversold.

-----Original Message-----

From: Kari Spencer [mailto:kari_spencer@gov.state.ak.us]

Sent: Monday, March 05, 2007 8:31 AM

To: Sarah Palin; Kristina Y Perry; mike_nizich@gov.state.ak.us; kari_spencer@gov.state.ak.us; meghan_stapleton@gov.state.ak.us; sharon_leighow@gov.state.ak.us; Privileged or Personal Mate

Subject: RE: prayer brkfst

They want you to briefly speak, Meg and Kris are working on that. Previously we discussed either Kris or Bristol accompanying you but if you would like a table for your family we can check on that. Affirmative to Franklin Grahm speaking.

-----Original Message-----

From: "Sarah Palin" <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

To: "Kristina Y Perry" <kris_perry@gov.state.ak.us>; "mike_nizich@gov.state.ak.us" <mike_nizich@gov.state.ak.us>; "kari_spencer@gov.state.ak.us" <kari_spencer@gov.state.ak.us>; "meghan_stapleton@gov.state.ak.us" <meghan_stapleton@gov.state.ak.us>; "sharon_leighow@gov.state.ak.us" <sharon_leighow@gov.state.ak.us>; Privileged or Personal Material Redacted

Sent: 3/5/07 6:11 AM

Subject: prayer brkfst

does anyone know if I'm supposed to speak at the Gov's Prayer Brkfst on Sat. in Anchorage? If anyone has an itinerary for that morning, pls. let me know. I believe I heard Franklin Graham is a speaker, but have not heard anything else.

Should I get a table for my family at that event?

Everyone is raving about the all-new Yahoo! Mail beta.

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From: Ivy Frye [Ivy_Frye@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Monday, March 05, 2007 5:55 PM
To: Meghan Stapleton
Cc: Sarah Palin
Subject: RE: Press Release: Governor Palin Disappointed Over Passage of Watered-Down Ethics Bill

Awesome press release, Meg! Nice quotes, SP!

From: Meghan Stapleton [mailto:meghan_stapleton@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Monday, March 05, 2007 5:51 PM
To: GOV - PRESS RELEASE DISTRIBUTION
Subject: Press Release: Governor Palin Disappointed Over Passage of Watered-Down Ethics Bill

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE 07-048

Governor Palin Disappointed Over Passage of Watered-Down Ethics Bill
Calls It "Politics As Usual"

March 5, 2007, Juneau, Alaska – Governor Sarah Palin criticized the failure of the Senate to adopt Senate Bill 19 amendments to further tighten ethics legislation.

Today, the Senate considered amendments and passed SB 19, Senator French's ethics bill. The Governor's office requested that some amendments be offered today on the Senate Floor that would incorporate some measures from the Governor's ethics bill. All but one amendment was rejected by the Senate Majority Working Group on a straight-line caucus vote.

"I am very disappointed in the process," said Governor Palin. "My office, in conjunction with Dave Jones from the Department of Law, has worked hard and cooperatively to come up with meaningful and comprehensive ethics reform. As I stated earlier in the session, I do not have any pride in authorship but I can not just stand by allowing lip service to be paid to ethics reform while Alaskans stand to lose."

Governor Palin continued, "In one example, my office requested the Senate to adopt an amendment that would prevent executive branch employees from accepting any gift from a registered lobbyist. The amendment would not impact the legislature. I feel very strongly that if we are really going to clean things up, we must remove the ability of those individuals who are paid to influence decision makers from providing gifts. To not adopt the provision is absolutely outrageous."

"My hope was that the Senate Majority was following our lead in setting politics aside and doing

what is best for Alaska," said Governor Palin. It appears today, some politicians are more interested in politics as usual."

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From: John Katz [jwkatz@ALASKADC.org]

Sent: Monday, March 05, 2007 9:03 AM

To: Governor Sarah Palin; Michael Tibbles; Mike Nizich

Cc: Chip Abernathy

Subject: Senate Elections/Energy

In re-reading the analysis prepared by Winningreen which I sent you earlier today, I noted several inaccuracies about individual Senators.

I don't think that these inaccuracies change the ultimate conclusions in the report, but they do detract from its credibility. Accordingly, we will get you an analysis which is accurate in all respects so that we can focus on the conclusions rather than the factual errors. Sorry for any inconvenience.

Please note that my email address has changed. My new email address is jwkatz@alaskadc.org. Thank you .

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From: Mike Tibbles [mike_tibbles@gov.state.ak.us]

Sent: Monday, March 05, 2007 9:27 AM

To: Sarah Palin

Subject: RE: weather

We basically take our lead from the troopers or the local police. When they tell us it is not safe to be on the road, we will close offices for non-essential employees. This does not happen very often and driving in today, I am a bit surprised that they characterized the conditions as bad as they did. Friday seemed worse to me. It does present a challenge when all the schools are closed and all the daycare centers are closed. We have many employees with little kids that get stranded.

Mike

From: Sarah Palin [mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com]
Sent: Monday, March 05, 2007 9:03 AM
To: Mike Tibbles
Subject: RE: weather

who decides when to close?

Mike Tibbles <mike_tibbles@gov.state.ak.us> wrote:
We have already called the radio stations. KTOO repoted at 6:30 am that they were waiting to hear from the State, so I had Nizich call again. We should have pretty good coverage by now.

Mike

-----Original Message-----
From: "Sarah Palin"
To: mike_tibbles@gov.state.ak.us
Sent: 3/5/07 6:34 AM
Subject: RE: weather

Ill be in. In fact I'm headed out to airport to pick up bristol from bball road trip -they're a day late returning.

Should I make annoncement - or annette?

Sarah Palin

-----Original Message-----
From: "Mike Tibbles"
To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: 3/5/07 4:51 AM
Subject: weather

Governor,

Due to the weather and current road conditions, the police are requesting that the public stay off the

roads and especially not come into the downtown area until conditions improve. The federal government and city government offices will be closed today. We are releasing a statement that all non-essential employees should stay home. Annette will go on the radio and make the same annoucement.

The office will be pretty quiet today. The weather will not slow my truck down much so I will be in as usual. Let me know if you will be going to the office as well. I have a number of items to go over with you. Thanks.

Mike